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Angola

The following provides a summary of specific guidelines from the country's national guidance strategy. Use the jump links in yellow to access details on criteria for starting PEP, evaluation of risk, recommended prophylaxis, and follow-up screening recommendations by patient population. This summary can be downloaded or e-mailed to yourself or a colleague. The original country guidance document can also be downloaded.

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Healthcare Worker

Year Issued:

2014

Criteria for Starting PEP:

Each victim of occupational exposure should be seen by a clinician who is responsible for:

- Applying the Occupational Exposure Protocol
- Filling out the Occupational Accident Notification Form
- Assessing the risk of the exposure
- Referral for serology tests

Evaluation of Risk:

- Massive exposure (ARV prophylaxis indicated): deep needle stick with intravascular or wide bore perforated needle; contact with concentrated laboratory specimen.
- Intermediate exposure (ARV prophylaxis indicated): cut with surgical knife through gloves; superficial needle stick with beveled needle; mucosa contact.
- Minimal exposure (ARV prophylaxis not indicated): skin scratch with suture needle or narrow gauge needle; contact of blood or other fluids with intact skin.

Recommended Prophylaxis:

AZT + 3TC + LPV/r during 4 weeks

Initiate as soon as possible, within 24 hours of exposure

Follow-up Screening Recommendations:

Not documented

In Accordance with WHO 2014 PEP Recommendations?:

Y (but drug regimen may differ from WHO recommendation)

Victims of Sexual Violence

Year Issued:

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Criteria for Starting PEP:

Victim of rape

Recommended Prophylaxis:

AZT + 3TC + LPV/r during 4 weeks

Follow-up Screening Recommendations:

Not documented

In Accordance with WHO 2014 PEP Recommendations?:

Y (but drug regimen may differ from WHO recommendation)

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